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Elk Point REVIEW

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F. G. Miller exam marks take "a quantum leap"

Diploma exam average hits 71.6%

F. G. Miller High School is the proudest place in town this week. The diploma exam results are in and are "above and beyond our expectations," according to principal Jim Hawkins. Grade 12 students wrote five examinations in late

January, and overall results show an exemplary average of 71.6%.

Physics 30 and Social Studies 30 marks averaged 76%, Pure Math 30 averaged 70%, Math 33 came in at 69% and Social Studies 33 at 65%.

"We're all very pleased and excited as a staff," Hawkins said, noting that this is the fourth year of constant improvement for diploma exam marks, a "quantum leap" from previous years. "It's not just the teachers in Grade 12" who are responsible for the improvement, he emphasized. All the teachers encouraged these students, and "there's a lot of parental support."

St. Paul Regional School Division's Carmen Brodziak says that F. G. Miller has had a plan in place for the past four years, with the marks showing improvement each year.

School trustee Ray Danyluk said the improvement is a result of a "major direction taken during regionalization" in 1995. "We tried to address the concerns [with low exam results], and focused on this a year later. Since then, the marks have increased dramatically." Teachers have a common goal, and the school board is behind the plan, he said. "I really believe this is very positive."



ELK POINT MIXED BONSPIEL WINNERS who accepted the Doug and Doreen Berg Memorial trophies from Lorn Berg (far left) were Jamie Gingrich, Susan MacKinnon, Marlene Malachowski and Gary Kulak, who broke a tie with a big final end over (front, left to right) Myron Davidson, Roxanne and Don Harlton and Sue Keppler of Edmonton. Sixteen rinks took part in the three day bonspiel. More photos on Page 4.

Heinsburg hosting March 1 forum

As they did in the last provincial election, Heinsburg Community Club is giving electors an opportunity to hear the platforms of the candidates and ask the questions which will help them to make an informed election day decision.

An All Candidates Forum for candidates

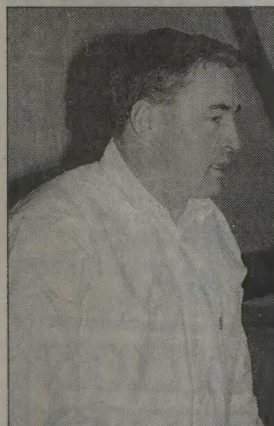
seeking the Lac La Biche - St. Paul constituency seat in the March 12 provincial election has been slated for Thursday, March 1 at 7:30 p.m. in the Heinsburg Community Hall.

Everyone is welcome to attend and no admission will be charged.

■ Chamber of Commerce

Return to two-tier electricity system, says Ouellette

While the Alberta Liberals are staunchly opposed to a two-tier



LIBERAL CANDIDATE VITAL OUELLETTE addressed the Chamber at last Wednesday's meeting.

health system, they do feel a two-tier electricity system would work for the province. Liberal candidate Vital Ouellette told the Elk Point Chamber of Commerce last week that while power deregulation is "basically recognized and accepted now, the blame is laid on the government for the way it was done. It should work, but the demand was far exceeding the supply. It was doomed to failure." The Liberals propose returning to a two-tier system on power.

"There are two types of consumers. The small, who use less than one million

megawatts per year - virtually everyone in this constituency - need to know that their price will be protected and based on the price of production." The large users, Ouellette said, should get their power on a contract basis and "make their own deals. The large players asked for deregulation, and should get their wish."

For farmers and households, electricity "is not a commodity, it's a necessity," Ouellette concluded, noting that the Liberals' plan is backed by the power industry and the Alberta Chamber of Commerce.

Ouellette slammed the Conservatives for "ramming through Bill 11," which he says "uses public funds to help fund private facilities... you don't use public money for that." Ouellette said that with the government "only giving a certain amount of money" to the Regional Health Authorities, "there is a good likelihood of rotating hospital shut-downs." The current shortage of nurses is due to the layoffs of 1992-95, and nurses "don't feel they can trust coming back into the system that fired them." Closure of hospitals is "the beginning of the end for small

towns like Elk Point... schools will be next... once they close down what has kept the towns alive - it's killing rural Alberta."

Ouellette answered questions on intensive livestock operations, noting that it is the province's role to set up standards, but that municipalities should have the power to establish bylaws and regulations on zoning. "It's downloading from the province to tell municipalities to set the regulations."

Ouellette "won't argue that it was important to deal with the debt situation," disagrees with the flat tax, and feels that

"using a billion dollars for science, research and technology was important. Those were good things the government should be given credit for."

In closing, Ouellette said it is "fine to slam the government, but now it's time to look at the future and find a solution, to find ways to protect and insulate ourselves. There's got to be leadership to look into the future. I believe the Liberals will make a difference."

Progressive Conservative Ray Danyluk has confirmed that he will attend the March 7 meeting of the Chamber.

review **SPORTS**

Midget Thunder, Bantam Colts win Zone 2 championships

By Doug Bassett
Review Sports

Sometimes a hot goaltender is what you need to keep your team in the game and keep you alive until the rest of the team gets some momentum going.

Friday night the **Midget Girls Storm** were badly outshot by St. Paul in the first two periods and were down by 11 shots before the Storm could get a shot, but when they did, they made it count. A hard slapshot by Brooklyn Blacklock

went in, giving the Storm a one goal lead they held into the third period before St. Paul tied the game. The Storm pulled ahead again, but it was tied at two when the Storm was caught shorthanded. With only 1:40 left in

the third, Kristyn Ballas scored the winner, then 40 seconds later, Ashley Hebblethwaite put the icing on the cake. At this point, the Storm had closed the gap on shots, but without a doubt, the "Hound Dog's Award" goes to

Joanne "JoJo" deMoissac for blocking 30 shots and keeping the Storm in the game.

On Saturday in Lloydminster, the Storm lost 4-1 to a tough team, Eryl Anton Roberts scoring her first goal for the Storm. On Sunday in Cold Lake, with four players missing and very poor ice conditions, the Storm tied 3-all, giving them a three point weekend. Brooklyn Blacklock, Jennifer "Domi" Kalynchuk with her first of the season and Brett Hahn going upstairs with a wrist shot, all scoring for the Storm, rookie goalie Kristin Campbell strong between the pipes.

Another young goalie who gives you 100% effort all the time, Jerin Bezpalko was badly outshot on Saturday, 54 shots in total, the **Atom Avalanche** on the losing end to Cold Lake, 6 to 3, Craig Dallaire, Sonny Benson and Brittany Ballas all scoring for the Avalanche.

Zack MacKinnon scoring a hat trick, Brad Badger adding two weren't enough for the Pee wee Avalanche who were eliminated from Provincials by a strong team from Thorhild on Saturday.

Some really good news: **Midget Thunder** took the provincial

series against Mallaig in just one game, to become winners of Zone 2, sending them to the big show at the end of March in Castor. A big Happy 18th Birthday today to Thunder defenseman Curtis "Crow" Croteau, who has played all his minor hockey in Elk Point. Although Curtis has been to Provincials before, he still hasn't won a Provincial medal, and wouldn't it be nice if Thunder could win one for the team captain, Curtis, in his final year of minor hockey?

More good news: the **Bantam Colts** defeated Boyle in a home-and-home series, their last round, the Colts winning the Zone 2 title, sending them to Provincials in Consort the second last weekend of March. The Colts also won their own tournament in Dewberry, defeating Edmonton 7 to 5, Fort Mac 4 to 2, then Marwayne in the final 8 to 3. Before the tournament, they defeated Cold Lake 7 to 2 and tied Marwayne 5-all in league play.

Still more good news: The **Novice Hurricanes** came home from the big tournament in Fort Mc Murray with second in the A event! Way to go, we're proud of you!

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from the FCSS DESK

A matter of perspective

By Deanna Easthope

FCSS Director

Yes, today is February 27 and that means the month of February is over at midnight on February 28. It also means the worst part of winter is over. We may still receive a March storm - but if we do, we know spring is just around the corner anyway. It is all a matter of perspective.

Speaking of "a matter of perspective," there is an old story by Anthony DeMello that illustrates how our perspective effects how we deal with ourselves.

A man found an eagle's egg and put it in a nest of a barnyard hen. The eagle hatched with the brood of chicks and grew up with them. All his life, the eagle did what the barnyard chicks did, thinking he was a barnyard chicken. He scratched the earth for worms and insects. He clucked and cackled. And he would thrash his wings and fly a few feet in the air.

Years passed and the eagle grew very old. One day he saw a magnificent bird above him in the cloudless sky. It glided in graceful majesty among powerful wind currents, with scarcely a beat of its strong golden wings. The old eagle looked up in awe. "Who's that?" he asked. "That's the eagle, the king of the birds," said his neighbor. "He belongs to the sky. We belong to the earth - we're chickens." So the eagle lived and died a chicken, for that's what he thought he was.

What he thought he was - oh, how sad! But, we don't have to leave the story with this ending. As a matter of fact, I have also heard another ending which was added to this story.

There was a naturalist who came on the scene. He recognized the bird who was scratching the earth for worms and insects along with the chickens. The naturalist said to the farmer: "Why is that eagle among the chickens?" The farmer

said: "He thinks he is a chicken, therefore he is a chicken!" The naturalist said: "Oh no, that is an eagle. I will show you he is an eagle!" So the naturalist took the eagle to the top of a high cliff and said, "Thou art an eagle, fly!"... But the eagle didn't fly. He just kept scratching the earth for worms and insects. The naturalist tried again, still with the same results. Then, the third time, the naturalist picked up the eagle and forced it to look into the sun and said the same words: "Thou art an eagle, fly!" This time something happened. As the eagle looked into the sun, something inside him connected. The bird who was con-

vinced that he was a chicken put that aside. He was now able to open his wings and experiment with his new-found freedom of following who he really was - an eagle.

I like the second ending to the story because it shows how one looks at something or at oneself, isn't necessarily the true picture. It took another person, in this case a naturalist, who believed in the full capacity of the bird and then helped it to reach it, to make a difference in the perspective. Thank goodness for all those people out there who make a difference in our lives! A big hank you to all those who have given us "another perspective"

CRIME STOPPERS

Drilling truck stolen

On February 21, 2001, around 11 p.m., an unknown person stole a 1997 Kenworth truck (used for drilling purposes) from the parking lot of the Elk Point Hilltop Motor Inn. The company, Rat Hole Drilling, had two vehicles parked there. The stolen vehicle, valued at about \$500,000, was left unoccupied and idling. When the thief went to drive off, this truck rolled backwards into the second company vehicle, waking the driver sleeping in that vehicle. The thief left, heading southbound on Highway 41. The vehicle was found abandoned behind a convenience store in Elk Point about an hour later.

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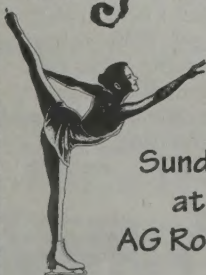
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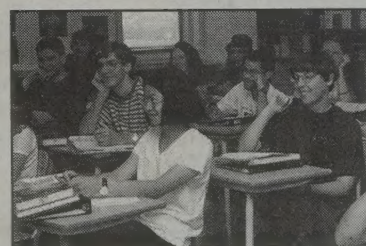
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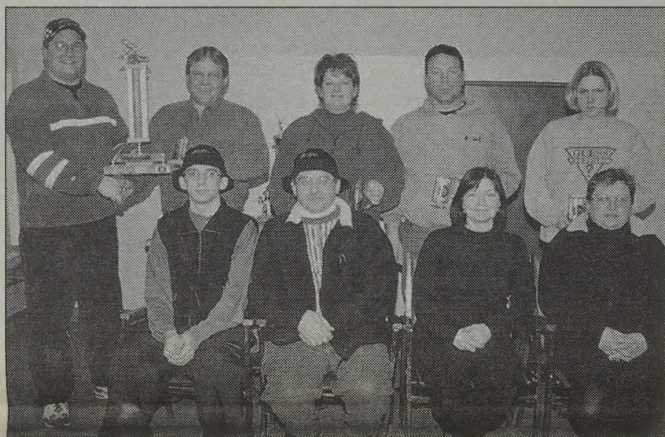


VIEWPOINTS

Elk Point Mixed Bonspiel



"B" EVENT trophies from Green Acres Sod Farm were presented by Susan MacKinnon to (left to right) Bryce Lorenson, Lisa Nickason, Stella Lorenson and Jen MacDonald, who won the final over (front, left to right) Pete Stafford, Monique Penz, George Bendixen and Carrie Becker.



"C" EVENT'S Peter Yewchin Memorial trophies were presented by Gary Kulak to (left to right) Brian Huseby, Claire and Ken Ference and Raelyn Huseby, winners of the final game over (front, left to right) Dean and Orest Sereda, Judy Bilak and Darlene Sereda.

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Heart Month

Four years with a new heart

On January 2, 1997, an Elk Point resident and former teacher received a new heart in the organ transplant program at the University of Alberta Hospital. The surgeon was Dennis Modry. Now, after four years, we drop in on Ron and see how he is doing.

By Ron Onusko
Review Contributor

Interviewer: Let me ask you first, how are you doing?

Ron: Well, when anyone gets too serious when they ask that particular question, which I hear very often, I answer with "He walks and he talks." In actual fact, to date, the heart has been magnificent and has given no trouble.

Interviewer: What kind of a program are you on that keeps you that way?

Ron: Every six months I return to the U of A Hospital and see nurse Ilene Burton and either cardiologist Wayne Tymchak or cardiologist Jeff Burton for blood testing, a heart x-ray, a biopsy of the heart tissue and a review of my medications. On my last visit in December of 2000, Dr. Tymchak said the annual scanning of the heart and biopsy for rejection indicated that I did not have to have a biopsy for 12 months. What a relief.

Interviewer: Why do you say a relief?

Ron: The biopsy result comes at the end of the day after an early morning biopsy and tension gets very high because of the possibility of a heart rejection situation. Over four years, I have had about 25 heart biopsies in which entry through a neck vein with a catheter is made and along the vein to the heart where a device is used to collect six heart tissue samples.

I have had entry through the groin vein to the heart as well. When the procedure goes well, it is not bad. Of the 25 biopsies I have had, three were level one, which means the lowest level of the

heart being rejected and does not require a change in medication doses while the other 22 were zero rejection. Zero rejection means that the anti-rejection drugs are doing what they are intended to do - keep your body from rejecting and destroying what to a person's immune system is a foreign object.

Interviewer: Is that the entire program?

Ron: No. Once a year there is a thorough examination of the interior of the heart for blockage, vessel condition, valve conditions, and general functioning of the heart. For two years this was done mechanically where actual inspection was done via a groin catheter and visual inspection device. This took about an hour. My heart was in such good condition both times that at years three and four I was injected with dye over two days and the inspection was done with an external scan. I should mention that for about a week before this procedure I have a lot of trouble sleeping and the anticipation of results makes stress levels high. While in the waiting area I mentioned this to other people with heart transplants and one lady said that for two weeks before, she is stressed terribly. Her husband verified this.

Interviewer: Is that the entire program?

Ron: No. With two injections of insulin each morning and evening my morning dosage of medications numbers 13 and the evening is 11. I estimate that over five thousand times for taking medication since my major heart attack in 1995, I have missed only once. The complete drug and medicine program costs several hundred dollars a month. The anti-rejection drug, Tacrolimus, costs \$187 for a 25-day supply. I have been extremely fortunate with the heart and I attribute the success in large part to the organ transplant program at the University Hospital. Their follow-up and concern for recipients gets a high rating. The last I heard, they were tracking 776 organ transplant people who had surgery done in Edmonton.

Interviewer: What do you see in your future?

Ron: As I begin my fifth

year I expect more complications as I have had in the past. The side effects of the medications are numerous. I have had three bouts of severe sinus conditions lasting up to four months each, hearing loss, gall bladder removal, the appearance of growths because when your immune system is suppressed you are wide open to cancer and infection. On the positive side, in five years I have not had the flu and only one cold. I tend to avoid crowds, but I don't make a thing of that. And to reinforce what has been in the news a lot lately, I have washed my hands frequently every day for four years. Just ask me the soaps easiest on the hands.

Before my transplant surgery, I was assured by the coordinator that I should not dwell on thinking about the ultimate rejection of my transplanted heart. It will happen. Kim Scheer said that as time went by, all the research going into cancer is directly related to the immune system. Now a new immune suppressant is about to undergo testing and the U of A Hospital is a chosen site for testing. Also she said that if an organ gets rejected, a second transplant can be performed. In December at the annual clinic in Edmonton I met a man under 40 who had a second transplant. His first was totally rejected in two years.

Everyone can join the program by signing the back of their green personal health card in the organ transplant section. I have spoken to a number of groups, mainly school classes, and I have reached the point where I quite enjoy doing this.

Interviewer: How has all this changed you?

Ron: I am not quite prepared to speak too openly about this as change is going on constantly. I know I have little time for unimportant things. I no longer collect anything. The amount of patience I have has been reduced a great deal. My religious orientation has not been affected. I appreciate people and my family a lot more. There are agendas that people follow for selfish ends and self interest that I cannot abide.

February is
Heart Month

community NEWS

My commitment to agriculture

By Ray
Danyluk

Progressive
Conservative
Candidate,
Lac La Biche
- St. Paul



I am a farmer. I understand the challenges of agriculture from a producer's perspective. My family feels fortunate in having experienced the lifestyle of the "Family Farm". Witnessing the birth of a calf or watching a grain crop grow are real life pleasures. Along with the joys, we know full well the endless labor and the tragedies that come with the territory.

Agriculture is a renewable resource and we need to work to maintain it in a posi-

tive sustainable manner. Logging, agriculture, and recreation all have a role to play in the rural community. I believe the land can be shared to benefit us all. Agriculture remains a primary industry in northeastern Alberta. Grain and livestock farming, logging, fishing and beekeeping are all contributors to our rural economy and community. I strongly support the need for the maintenance and enhancement of agriculture in the rural community.

The challenges to the agricultural sector are huge. High input costs (including fertilizer and fuel), combined with low commodity prices have magnified the struggle to compete. The nature of the industry does not lend

itself to adjust quickly to economic triggers. How can you stop production of an animal or crop mid cycle? Joint response from both federal and provincial government is required to address both short-term pressures and long term viability in the agriculture sector.

Ty Lund, in discussion with other provincial Agriculture ministers expressed his concern as follows, "They (Federal Liberal government) have completely walked away from agriculture and that really bothers me because I think the federal government has got a responsibility when it comes to food supply for the people... Frankly, people better start realizing that there is a real problem out here and if we want

to continue to have quality cheap food, then we'd better look after our farmers." The position of the Alberta government, verbalized by Minister Lund is "Alberta farmers need assistance this spring. It's time for Ottawa to provide relief from soaring input costs, particularly chemicals, fertilizer and farm fuel." Our current provincial government has funding allocated to help offset input costs. The method of delivery is under discussion. Present crop insurance coverage does not address recurring disasters or recover input costs. Issues that need to be addressed at the federal level include removal of the federal farm fuel excise tax and revision

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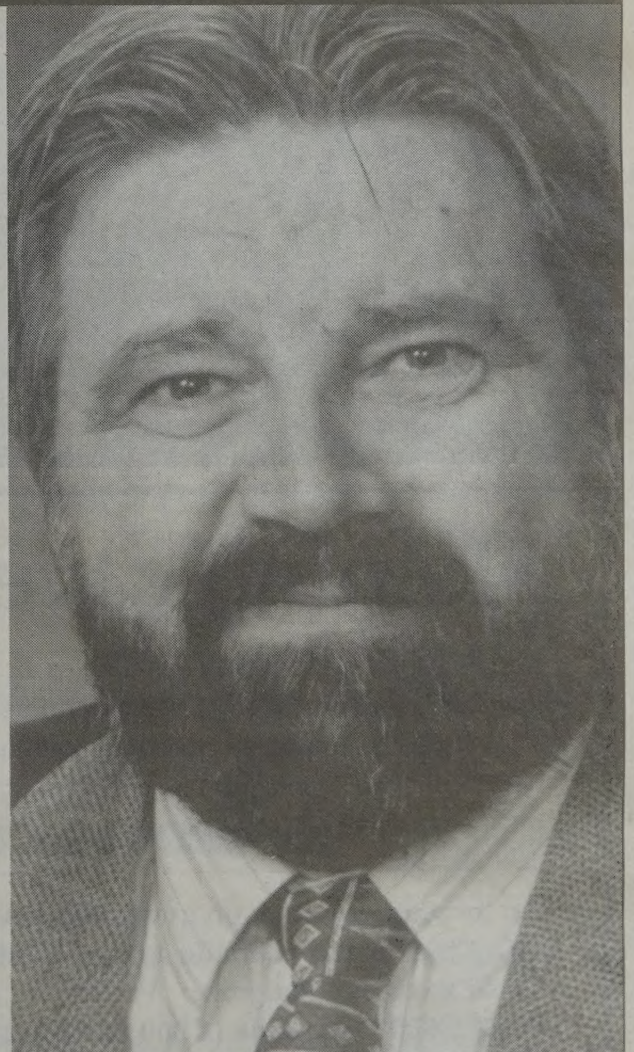
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Elks take their first Sask Alta playoff series in four games

Elk Point Elks played their first round of Sask Paradise Valley on the best-of-five series games to one. the deciding game of Alta League playoffs in Saturday night, to take over Kitscoty three Leighton Grey started

the scoring at 6:23 of the first period, assisted by Ted Genereux and Sheldon Espetveidt. Kitscoty's Trevor Leighton scored a pair off assists by Todd Miller and Jason Peregrin to take the lead, but Dwayne Karbashewski, assisted by Cory Laboucane and Espetveidt tied the game before the end of the period.

In the second, an unassisted goal by Kerry Loughran and a goal by Billy Halfe, assisted by Travis Brown and Genereux gave the Elks a 4-2 margin. Chris Leighton's unassisted goal for the Monarchs narrowed the gap, but was that team's final goal of the series.

The third period was scoreless until just 13 seconds remained on the clock, when Ted Genereux fired one last successful shot off an assist by Cory Laboucane to take the series.

The Elks begin their next best-of-five series against Vermilion at 8:15 Friday night in Elk Point.

Series Highlights

GAME 1 - Feb. 16, Elk Point lost 4-3. Elks goals by Lawren Wowk (Genereux, Grey), Wowk (Blair Halfe), Kerry Loughran (Shaun Moroziuk).

GAME 2 - Feb. 18 in Paradise Valley, Elks won 5-4, Cory Laboucane scoring the winner.

GAME 3 - Feb. 21 in Elk Point. Elks win 10-6 with goals by Leighton Grey (Willie Lesyk); Lesyk (Blair Halfe, Genereux), Grey (Karbashewski, Genereux); Aaron Aarbo (Genereux, Doug Zarowny); Laboucane (Lesyk, Genereux); Laboucane (Genereux, Billy Halfe), Loughran (Genereux, Blair Halfe); Loughran (Genereux, Ferlin Quinney); Laboucane (Aarbo, Espetveidt), Blair Halfe unassisted.

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community NEWS

Elk Point Saddle Slickers speak - and cook - off

Not surprisingly, horses were a popular topic as Elk Point Saddle Slickers took to the podium on February 18 for their annual 4-H Public Speaking Competition at F. G. Miller High School. Alternate sources of energy and drug use in sports were also topics for thought-provoking talks.

Joan Wheat explored the field of solar energy as a replacement for fossil fuels, and chose the topic "Door Knobs" for a quirky impromptu speech.

Meggan Parker, winner of the Intermediate age group, spoke on "Enhancing Your Performance" which

many athletes have tried to do with drugs, with disastrous results. Her impromptu told the audience the reasons she loves 4-H.

Jill Wheat placed second with her portrayal of "Women of the West," and an impromptu on "If I had a million dollars..." while Chelsea Schnurer's prepared speech gave insight into the world of the quarter horse, followed by her entertaining impromptu thoughts on "How Parents Should Discipline their Children."

Junior speaker Kim Lebold talked about her "Three Favorites" - the Arab, Morgan and Paint breeds of horses,

and told the audience about "The Funniest Thing That Ever Happened to Me" in her impromptu.

As a change of pace, Danielle Schnurer donned her apron for a demonstration on making "Mister's Crunchies," a tasty snack for her horse, then answered questions about the procedure and recipe.

Judges Millie Orr and Ruth Purdy felt all speakers did a fabu-

lous job and had chosen good topics for their speeches. All were "very well spoken," said Mrs. Orr, a veteran of many 4-H speak-offs.

Mrs. Purdy is a former Saddle Slickers leader who was involved with the club for many years and who was happy to keep in touch with the club in this way.

Both judges agreed that the speakers just keep getting better every year.



JUDGES Ruth Purdy and Millie Orr congratulated 4-Hers (left to right) Jill Wheat, Danielle Schnurer, Kim Lebold, Meggan Parker, Chelsea Schnurer and Joan Wheat on their public speaking skills at the Saddle Slickers speak-off.

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By Cheri Lindquist
Calm 20 Teacher, F. G. Miller
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Ken Saunders is the project director for "Careers: The Next Generation." He visited the Calm 20 classes at F. G. Miller High School recently. His presentation was on the value of staying in school. He emphasized

the importance of setting goals, keeping options open, taking a variety of courses and participating in RAP, the Registered Apprenticeship Program.

Saunders ended by saying, "It's great if you make the NHL, but you'd better have a back-up plan in case you don't."



LOOKING TO THE FUTURE - Ken Saunders of Lac La Biche (far right) and Ernie Grach, Wabasca, discuss career choices with Mrs. Lindquist and students Brianne Greening and Greg Calliou.

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what's NEWS at the LIBRARY?

Freedom to Read - but not to keep our books indefinitely

By Daphne Schnurer
Librarian

It's Freedom to Read Week, but that doesn't mean you are free to keep the library's books as long as you wish.

The library's new policies allow you to keep books for three weeks, rather than the original two, and to renew them for an additional period after that, but some books

have been out much longer, and we are very eager to have them returned to our collection.

Some of the books which have been a long time coming back are practically new, and some would be quite costly to replace. Other borrowers are waiting to take their turns to read such books as: **Winter Solstice** by Rosamunde Pilcher; **The Whitechapel**

Conspiracy; Life Lessons: Two experts on death and dying; Silent Night; Friends Everywhere; The Senator's Wife; Cold is the Grave; Glory; Crystal Passion; and Crime and Detection.

If you have signed out any of these books, PLEASE return them ASAP.

If you cannot remember the books you have signed out, please phone the

library and we can print a list for you.

We also have a lot of outstanding children's books overdue. Being a small library, we often have only one copy of a particular title. Taking it and keeping it for months on end deprives other patrons access to this book. We then usually have to borrow from another library. Please be responsible, considerate patrons.

New

Collection

We have a great Fitness theme collection available for the next two months, so drop in and check it out. Some of the titles and videos include: **Smart Guide to Yoga... Fitness for Life... No Strain, No Pain** (a back fitness program)... **The Fit Back, Fitness Walking**

for Dummies... Cross Training... Staying Flexible and Soft Workouts.

Coming up at the Library

The March Seniors Tea is slated for 2 p.m., Tuesday, March 6, and will have a St. Patrick's Day theme. Wear your green and come on down to join us for a pleasant afternoon of snacks and socializing.

Railway line's future to be settled by March 30

By Rhonda Lafrance
Staff Writer

The group of 10

municipalities looking to take over the abandoned railway in the area has until March

30 to decide what will happen with the land.

Chair of the group, Robert Bouchard, says

there are other parties interested in the land, but now that the municipalities have

recreational user groups and adjacent landowners agreeing to cooperate, CN Rail is favoring the municipalities.

"This is the first time

in Canada that a group of 10 municipalities has agreed to work together on an issue like this," said Bouchard, reeve of the County of St. Paul.

Pioneer businessman mourned

Elk Point Chamber of Commerce paid tribute at last week's meeting to pioneer businessman Paul Stepa, who passed away February 15 at the age of 90.

Stepa was one of the founding members when the Chamber of Commerce was established in 1938, and started his first business in Elk Point, a pool room and barber shop, in 1936.

In 1947, Stepa and Dr. A. G. Ross were appointed by the Chamber to explore the possibility of establish-

ing a local gas company. The two traveled the country, promoting the plan and selling shares, and in 1948, with Dr. Ross as the president of the new company and Stepa as its secretary, their first gas well was drilled and piped to supply the community.

Life insurance had been one of several sidelines in Stepa's pool room and barber shop, and in 1956, he opened a general insurance office, which expanded several times before Stepa joined with son-in-law Larry Demchuk to found Elk Point Insurance and

Realty Ltd. in 1976.

Stepa continued to be involved with the Chamber throughout the years, and was a valued member of the organization.

The Chamber joins with the community in expressing their condolences to the Stepa family.

Good response to Young appeal

Response to last week's appeal for funds to help an Elk Point youth seek diagnosis at the Mayo Clinic is going well, according to both Glenn Harms, who spearheaded the appeal, and Sherry Young, whose son Jeffrey is afflicted with a rare form of epilepsy.

Harms said the "committed dollars" are around \$6000 at press time, and he hopes they will total \$8500 to \$9000 by the end of the week. He noted that the Youngs are on a "first call notice" and could be headed to the Mayo Clinic any day. Budget figures from the clinic show that a second

round of tests could cost in the neighborhood of another \$6000 US.

Mrs. Young said not only has the response from the community been great, she has hopes that funding may be forthcoming from Alberta Health.

Minister of Health Gary Mar called her personally, and said his department would give whatever support they could in the matter. He explained the process for getting funding for out-of-country health services, which Mrs. Young says is "a long process." An independent committee made up of doctors looks at

all the data surrounding an individual case, and then directs Alberta Health to say yes, to put a cap on the amount they will commit, to leave it open-ended, or to turn down the application.

She has also been in contact with Ed Stelmach and Rat Danyluk on the matter.

"There are a few uncertainties," Mrs. Young said, "and it all takes a bit of time." She is currently waiting for referrals, and "will have no word back for a while."

The fundraising goes on, and donations can be made at Servus Credit Unions in Elk Point and St. Paul.

Minor hockey update

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And how I wish we could have done this when our boys played against the Pitbulls: the Hurricanes defeated Kitscoty 10 to 3 in PV on Saturday. Hat tricks for "Bronco" Billy Hudry and Kameron Ballas, singles for Danny Carlson, Ryan Marceniuk, Harrison Maas and Dylon Loughran. Mike Marianchuk, getting the call to strap on the pads, was a standout.

Our little guys, the Micro Novice Tornados, were in a tournament in Marwayne where they tied the hosts 7-all, then lost a close one to Vermilion 6 to 5. Each week these little guys are improving their skills. Something tells me that this coming week when the Tornados are in town against Dewberry, the scouts will be there!

review

COMMUNITY NEWSLINE

"Mother to Mother" Breastfeeding Support Group - meets 4th Monday of every month, 10 a.m. Call 724-3332 for more info. Expectant mothers and older siblings welcome.

Elk Point Parent Nursery - Every Wednesday, 10 a.m. to Noon, Elk Point United Church Hall. Children under 6 and parents welcome. For more info, call Jackie Ludlage, 724-3066 or Sue Cleland, 724-4315.

Al-Anon Family Group Meeting, Room 605, Elk Point Municipal Hospital, Wednesday evening at 8:30 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, Wednesday at 8:30 p.m., Room 604, Elk Point Hospital.

T.O.P.S. meets every Wednesday, 5:30 p.m. ; 8:30 p.m., FCSS Office, Elk Point.

"New To Town" FCSS would like to welcome and familiarize new families with the services and programs available in town. Welcome packages contain a community directory, volunteer directory, coupons, maps and more! Call 724-3800 for more information or drop by 4902 - 51 Street.

Recycle Your Paper - Paper trailer is located at the west side of the bottle depot on Railway Ave. We take newspapers, flyers, computer and bond paper. No milk or egg cartons, phone books or glossy magazines. Please sort and bundle with string or put in cardboard boxes.

Elk Point Public Library - Mon., Tues. and Thurs. 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Wed. 1 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Fri. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Storytime - Fri at 10:30 a.m.. Photocopies. Extended library services and reliable information sources. Public meeting space available to non-profit organizations at no charge. Please call the Elk Point Library for booking at 724-3737.

The Elk Point Legion now meets on the 2nd Tues. of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Seniors' Centre.

Elk Point Auto Club - meets at the Empress Restaurant, Elk Point, the 2nd Wednesday of each month. More information call: Ed Smith at 724-2527.

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What does the "Alberta Advantage" mean for your family?

It means the highest electricity rates in the country.
It means long line-ups for medical care. It means less spending power than families had 20 years ago. That is no advantage!

Our view

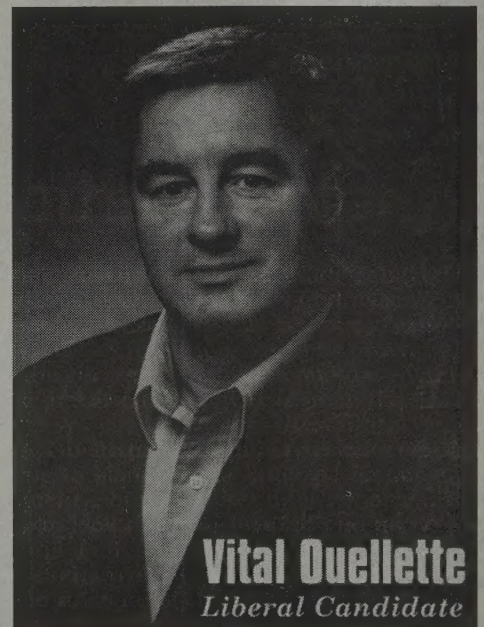
I believe that all Albertans need to benefit from the good economic times.

The Liberal plan will:

- Protect families and small businesses from extreme electricity rates through re-regulation
- Provide sufficient healthcare funding to hire 5,000 nurses, and improve abundance and emergency services
- Attract more physicians to rural Alberta

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